

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 STATE 079193

61

ORIGIN COME-00

INFO OCT-01 ARA-10 ISO-00 EB-05 RSC-01 /017 R

66616

DRAFTED BY: COMM/BIC/OED:SHAYS

APPROVED BY: EB/OCA/REP:LHPOMEROY

COMM/BIC/OED:JMILLER

COMM/BIC/OED:RPRITCHARD DIRECTOR

ARA/NC:JMAISTO

----- 111979

R 182124Z APR 74

FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO AMEMBASSY BOGOTA

UNCLAS STATE 079193

E. O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP, CO

SUBJ: FOREIGN BUYER PROGRAM - FIRE EQUIPMENT FOR BOGOTA

REF: BOGOTA 2598; TELCON EDDY/HAYS, APR 16

1. HOTEL RESERVATION SINGLE TWIN FOR GALAN/GALLEGO (G/G)
WASHINGTON HOTEL, ONE NIGHT ONLY APRIL 23. RUFRES MEADOWS,
WARD LA FRANCE, ELMIRA, N.Y. TO MEET G/G WASHINGTON NATIONAL
AIRPORT, EAA NO. 173, 6:05 P.M.

2. G/G TO MEET WITH DON O'BRIEN, DIRECTOR, INTERNATIONAL
ASSOCIATION FIRE CHIEFS AND BURTON JOHNSON, CHIEF, D.C. F.C.,
APR 24 A.M. FOR ORIENTATION AND INSPECTION OF BROAD RANGE
FIRE EQUIPMENT. SUGGEST G/G PRESENT ADDITIONAL AQUILA DEL
GUEGO PRIMERA CLASS TO O'BRIEN, LUNCHEON 24TH. MEADOWS WILL
THEN DRIVE G/G TO ELMIRA, N.Y. AFTERNOON OF APRIL 24, WITH
FULL DAY PLANT TOUR AND EQUIPMENT DEMONSTRATIONS APRIL 25.
ARRANGEMENTS TO TURN VISITORS OVER TO ENGINEERING EQUIPMENT
CO., CHICAGO, EXCLUSIVE EQUIPMENT DISTRIBUTORS OF AMERICAN
LA FRANCE, (ALSO WITH PLANT IN ELMIRA, N.Y.) MADE DIRECTLY
BETWEEN ROBT. PEOT, CHICAGO, AND MEADOWS OF WARD LA FRANCE.

UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 STATE 079193

3. BOTH FIRMS AWARE OF G/G'S DESIRE FOR DEFRAYMENT HOTEL AND

OTHER EXPENSES. WARD IS PAYING FOR GALLEGGO ROUND TRIP TICKET AND ENGRG. EQUIP. FOR GALAN. NO OTHER COMMITMENTS MADE TAT THIS TIME. ALL PARTIES ARE BEING ADVISED COMMERCE IS NOT IN POSITION TO BE NEGOTIATOR ON THESE FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS WHICH ARE LEFT ENTIRELY UP TO VISITORS AND U.S. CONTACTS.

4. CAPT. FRANCISCO J. MEDINA SANCHEZ NOW AT INTERNATIONAL POLICE ACADEMY, D.C. HAS NOT BEEN CONTACTED BY COMMERCE PROJECT OFFICER BUT IT IS UNDERSTOOD MEDINA IS PERMANENT BOGOTA FIRE CHIEF AND EVENTUALLY DECISION MAKER ON PURCHASES FIRE EQUIPMENT. ADVISE ON IMMEDIATE BASIS WHETHER EMB FEELS MEDINA SHOULD BE IN ON NEGOTIATIONS. ALSO MUST KNOW WHETHER ANY CHANGES FORESEEN TO ABOVE ITINERARY NLT CLOSE BUSINESS APR 22.
KISSINGER

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: n/a
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 18 APR 1974
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1974STATE079193
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: COMM/BIC/OED:SHAYS
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D740091-0242
From: STATE
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1974/newtext/t19740432/aaaabceu.tel
Line Count: 75
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ORIGIN COME
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: BOGOTA 2598; TELCON EDDY/HAYS, APR 1, 6
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: kellerpr
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 10 SEP 2002
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <10 SEP 2002 by BryanSD>; APPROVED <27 DEC 2002 by kellerpr>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: FOREIGN BUYER PROGRAM - FIRE EQUIPMENT FOR BOGOTA
TAGS: BEXP, CO
To: BOGOTA
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005